Response to Office Communication of 4/40/06

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION DATED APRIL 10, 2006

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Communication dated April 10. 2006, please enter and consider the following election and remarks.

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The Applicants' Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.